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New York, Aug. 22. Reported by F. H. Butier, stock broker, Temseb House, for The Advertisor. Yesterday's Open High Lo

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Reading 60	59 1/8	69	59 1/8	5948
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TRUSTS-				
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Tobacco 93%		631/2	93	931/
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English Markets

Wheat—Spos firm; No. 1 Cal.. 6s 3d to 6s 8½d; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 2½d; No. 2 red western winter, 6s 1½d; futures, quiet; Sept., 5s 10½d; Dec., 6s 5d.

Corn—Spot, firm, American mixed, new, 4s ½d; do. old, 4s 1½d; futures, quiet, Sept., 4s ½d; Oct., 4s ½d; futures, quiet, Sept., 4s ½d; Oct., 4s ½d; Leuis fancy winter, firm, 7s 9d.

Pleus—St. Leuis fancy winter, firm, 7s 9d.

Peas—Canadian, 5s 8½d.

Beef—Exten India mess. dull, 72s 6d; prime

Peas-Canadian. 58 8½d.
Beef-Matea India mess, dull, 72s 6d; prime

Pork - Prime mess, fine western, firm, 72s 6d. Lard - American refined, in pails, firm, 36s 3d;

Lard—American refined, in pails, firm, 36s 3d; prime western, in tierces, firm, 34s 9d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 47s 6d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs, stendy,
41s 6d; short ribs, 18 to 22 lbs, firm, 45s; long
clear middles, light, 30 to 35 lbs, firm, 41s 6d;
long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, firm,
41s; short clear backs, 16 to 18 lbs, firm,
42s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 44s 6d.

Shoulders—Equare, 12 to 14 lbs, steady, 34s.
Tallow, Privacelly, steady, 35s; Australian Tallow—Prime city, steady, 25s; Australian London, steady, 26s 6d. Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, Aug., dull,

Cheese-American finest white, strong, 51s; b. colored, strong, 52s. Butter—United States, finest, 94s; do good. Hops-At London (Pacific coast), steady, £2158

Linseed oil—35s 6d.
Furpentine spirits—Steady, 27s 6d.
Cotton seed oil—Hull refined, August, firm,

Petrolium-Refined, 6s 3.d.

Rosin-Common - Steady; 4s 9d.

Toronto Produce Market. Toronto, Ont., Aug. 22.-Wheat-Old red and white steady, at 66c west, and new at 65c west; goose is still quoted at 62c nominal; Manitoba offered at 881/2c for No. 1 hard, grinding, in It is quoted at 781/2c affoat, Fort William, 861/2c Toronto and west and 83c to 84c Midland. Flour-Steady, at \$3 25, affoat, Montreal, that equal to about \$2 93 Toronto; choice. well-known brands are quoted at 15c to 20c higher; Manitoba flour is unchanged, at \$4 25 for cars of strong bakers, and \$4 50 for patents here, bags included. Millfeed-The market is firmer; there is a big demand for shorts, and prices are about 50c higher, at \$15 to \$15 50 on track, Toronto. Bran is slightly firmer in price, at \$11 50 to \$12 west. Barley-The market is steady; new No. 3 is quoted at 35c and No. 2 at 37c west, for early September shipments. Rye-Unchanged; new is quoted at 48c east and 47c west; no sales, but some inquiry. Corn -Canada yellow is still quoted at 40c west; No. 3 American is steady, at 47c.



Oats-Steady; 261/2c for old white west,

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and 271/2c east; new are quoted at 24c to 25c west, or 26c on Midland and east. Oatmeal—Quoted at \$3 10 for cars of bags, and \$3 20 for here; small quantities 20c more. Peas -Steady; new quoted at 57c west and 56c west. Butter-Firm; creamery, 21c to 22c; dairy, 17c to 20c; poor grades, 14c to 16c. Eggs-Steady,

American Markest NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Flour—Receipts, 15,000 bbls; sales, 3,100 pkgs; moderately active and unchanged, having a steady undertone; Minnesota patents, \$3 90 to \$4 20; winter straights, \$3 45 to \$3 55; do, patents, \$3 75 to \$4. Rye flour—Steady; choice to fancy, \$3 30 to \$3 50. Wheat—Receipts, 97,125 bu; sales, 1,650,000 bu; options quiet but steady this morning on foreign buy-ing, higher cables and strength in the Rye-Nominal; state, 51c to 52c; No. 2 western, 56c, f.o.b., afloat. Corn-Receipts, 213,000 bu; sales, 15,000 bu; options opened firm on the cables factory at Thorndale was burned earand with wheat, but eased off on rain by Tuesday morning, will rebuild at through the corn states. Oats-Receipts, 163,800 bu; options inactive and barely steady; track, white state, 261/2c to 33c; do, western, 26½c to 33c. Cheese—Receipts, 5.386 pkgs; market steady; large colored, 10½c. Eggs—Receipts, large colored, 10½c. Eggs—Receipts, 8,223 pkgs; firm. Sugar—Raw steady; refined steady. Coffee—Steadier. Lead Wool-Dull. Hops-Quiet.

BUFFALO, Aug. 22.-Spring wheat-No. 1 northern, 80c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 75c; No. 1 white, 74½c asked. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 44½c; No. 3 corn, 43¾c to 44c, on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 25¾c to 26c; No. 3 white, 24¾c; No. 4 white, 23¾c; No. 4 white, 23¾c; No. 4 white, 23%; No. 2 mixed, 23%; on track.

DETROIT, Aug. 22.—Wheat-No. 1 white, cash, 74%c; No. 2 red, cash, 761/4e; Sept., 763/4c. TOLEDO, O., Aug. 22.-Wheat-Cash. Sept., 761/sc; Dec., 787/sc. Corn-

Sept., 411/2c; Dec., 34%c. Oats-Sept.,

Chicago Exchange. Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler broker Tecumseh House. Phone 1278.

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393/4 Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO, Aug. 22. - Cattle - Receipts, 25,000, including 5,000 Texans and 1,000 westerns, generally 10c lower: butchers' stock, 5c to 10c lower: good to prime steers, \$5 40 to \$6; poor to medium, \$4 60 to \$5 35; stockers and feeders, \$3 25 to \$4 75; cows, \$2 60 to \$4 15; heifers. \$3 to \$4 60: canners. \$2 10 to \$2 60; bulls, \$2 40 to \$4 40; calves, \$4 50 to \$6 50; Texas fed steers, \$4 15 to \$5; Texas grassers, \$3 15 to \$4; Texas bulls, \$2 50 to \$3 25. Hogs—Receipts today, 25,-000; tomorrow, 21,000; left over, 3,200; light strong, heavy steady; top, \$5 50; mixed and butchers, \$4 95 to \$5 40; good to choice heavy, \$5 to \$5 40; rough heavy, \$4 85 to \$4 90; light, \$5 50; bulk of sales, \$5 15 to \$5 30.

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MEN'S RIGHT TO WEAR SHIRT WAISTS. [New York Journal.]

All over the country men are trying to keep cool by going in their shirt sleeves. All over the country other men-generally fleshy personsare railing bitterly at their brothers for their bad manners, while womankind looks on amused.

Why is it considered improper for a man to wear a clean, cool chirt without a coat? Can you tell? When you 24-inch frame, 28-inch wheels, and go in your shirt sleeves, what particular law of decency do you violate? Women lay aside their wraps—why may not suffering mankind lay aside his coat without a protesting howl? There is nothing nicer than clean, well-laundered linen. The shirt waist woman is eminently proper and eminently pretty. The shirt waist man may not be pretty, but his garment is quite as proper and his right to keep

cool just as great. It is true that it is an innovation. but no arbiter, however mighty, can make an impropriety where no law of

decency is violated. There is always a violent opposition to everything that combines newness and strangeness.

When the bicycle was a novelty it was considered immodest for a woman to ride the wheel. The bicycle was also forbidden in the parks for fear the result that Mr. Cousins was thrown that horses might run away. The automobile met the same fate, but it juries consisted of scratches on the leg. seems that in some cases horses are

not so foolish as men. The shirt waist man is in the throes gon was struck by another car. The of transition. He is not popular yet, but there is absolutely no reason why other damage was done should not be. Do you not think it better to wear a clean shirt waist in the presence of your friends than to wear the same shirt covered by a field, president of the City Gas Comcoat you may have worn for weeks? Shirts are laundered weekly. Coats are not laundered at all, and besides

are seldom cleaned.

We sympathize with those heroic martyrs who are suffering the sneers of their fellows on account of the shirt waist habit. Let them keep it up as long as the hot weather lasts. They should consider themeslves as missionaries and pay no attention to the anti-shirt waist boxers.

Lots of women have dresses they

HEARTS All the new designation of the property of the new designation of the property of the new designation of th ADKINS, East London.

Marriage Licenses Issued.

the government buildings located there. city, is re-elected.

Latest Probabilities.

Toronto, Aug. 22-10 a.m.-Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region: Light to moderate winds; Thursday-Easterly winds, fine and

-Miss Carrie Parker, city, is visiting Woodstock friends. -Geo. W. McCaskey, Canadian pas-

senger agent, Northern Pacific Railway, is in the city. -Mr. Thomas Harris, of Rebecca, has sailed on the Corinthian for a visit to friends and relatives in England. -Mr. R. T. Wright, whose cheese box

-This morning's session of the police court was a short one. Two drunks, one of either sex, appeared, and were allowed to go.

-A building permit has been issued for the erection of an addition to Mrs. McNeill's store and residence, corner of Simose and Maitland streets. -Col. Macbeth on Monday received a letter from his son, Sergt. George

Macbeth, First Canadian Contingent. The letter was written from Springs, dated July 16, and reported all well. -Miss Evelyn Parker, soprano soloist of the First Methodist Church, took part in a concert given at Siloam last night. Her singing proved a source of exquisite enjoyment to the large audience present.

-On Saturday next the London Box O. Brener, R. J. Munro, H. F. Harp-Company hold an excursion to Goderich, via G. T. R. The fare has been placed at \$1 15 for the round trip (children half-fare). A special train has been secured, and will leave the G. T. R. depot at 7:30 a.m.

-The Asylum cricket team and the Watford team will play a game on the asylum grounds tomorrow morning, commencing at half past ten o'clock. The local team will comprise Walker, Heighway, O'Donnell, Cox, Meredith, Sippi, Thurling, Dunn, Dr. Williams, Dr. Butler and Dr. Hobbs.

-Construction Engineer McKay, of the L. E. and D. R. R., and Engineer Graydon have looked over the pro-posed belt line in East London. There is no apparent difficulty in the way of construction other than the privilege of crossing the G. T. R. Mr. McKay will return to this city, probably next week, and the matter will be gone into more minutely.

-In the Scotch dancing contests at Winnipeg on Thursday last, Mr. Wm. Allan, a former Londoner, and son of Mr. Robert Allan, messenger of the Bank of Commerce, was successful in capturing first prize in each of the four dances, and third prize for the best dressed Highlander. Mr. Allan was complimented on his success by Hugh John Macdonald, premier of Manitoba, in the presence of several thousand people.

-Mrs. Elizabeth McFarlane Carmichael. whose husband, the late Peter Carmichael, predeceased her some years ago, died at the family residence on the Proof Line road, near Arva, this morning. Her death was not unexpected, as Mrs. McFarlane was in her 78th year, and had been in feeble health for some time. She leaves a family of grown up sons and daugh-The remains will be interred in the Carmichael Cemetery tomorrow.

-Mr. Edward C. Brown died at his family residence, No. 284 King street, yesterday afternoon. It will be remembered that some months ago Mr. Brown was struck by a street car at the corner of Dundas and Colborne streets, and it is undestood that the injuries he then received were the eventual cause of his death. He was a carpenter by occupation, but since that accident he had been forced to discontinue his work. A wife and a family of four sons and two daughters survive him. Two sons are in British Columbia, a third is also away from this city, while the fourth is at home. One daughter, Mrs. G. B. C. Vanderfeen, and another who is unmarried, live at home. The funeral will be held tomorrow to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. BAND CONCERT.

The final band concert of the season will take place in Victoria Park next Tuesday evening, the 27th, not on Friday, as at first intended. Voluntary contributions will be taken up for the Victoria Hospital maternity.

WHEEL STOLEN Last night Harry Boyce, 86 Cartwright street, left his wheel standing near the corner of Dundas and Richmond streets, while he went for a ride on the street car. When he returned, about 11 p.m., the wheel had disappeared, No. 103,494, black enameled, with Garford saddle.

STOLE TWO WHEELS.

This morning a lady's bicycle, owned by James Tanton, and left standing in Rev. F. M. Chapin, wife and two chilfront of Ashplant's shoe store, on Dundas street, was taken by some unknown person. The taker rode the wheel around to Talbot street. W. G. Winnett's wheel was standing in front of his law office, and the thief immediately abandoned the lady's wheel and rode away with Mr. Winnett's. stolen wheel is a new Hartford.

MINOR STREET CAR ACCIDENTS. Dundas street, between Adelaide and Maitland streets, was the scene this morning of two minor accidents. A house driven by J. R. Cousins backed the buggy in front of a street car, with out in front of the car. His only in-Neither the horse nor the vehicle were injured. Shortly after this a milk waother damage was done.

FUNERAL OF W. A. DUFFIELD. The funeral of the late Wm. A. Dufpany, took place at 2:30 o'clock this afternoom, from the family residence 517 Queen's avenue, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. There was a very large attendance of well-known citizens and friends of the deceased. The floral tributes were profuse in number and exquisite in design. The services at the house and grave were conducted by Rev. Dr. Saunders of Dundas Center Methodist Church. The pallbearers were the following friends of the late Mr. Duffield: J. B. Kilgour, W. Smith, O. Brener, R. J. Munro, F. H. Harper, N. P. Graydon, J. M. Young and

TROUBLE IN COREA. Yokohama, Aug. 22.-An official lis-



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THE PREMIER

Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Party Leave Halifax for Quebec.

Liberal Conventions Announced and Other Political News.

Halfax, Aug. 22.-Premier Laurier and party left in a private car, attached to the Maritime Express, at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon for Quebec. There was a large number of citizens at the depot, and as the train rolled out of the station torpedoes were set off, and the premier was enthusiastically cheered.

SIR MACKENZIE BOWELL. St. Johns, Nfld., Aug. 21.-Sir Mackenzie Bowell, former premier of Canada, arrived here today. He is not prepared to discuss confederation or express an opinion on the union movement in Canada.

CONVENTIONS. A convention of the Liberals of South Brant will be held in Brantford Sept. 1, when a candidate will be chosen to reperesent the riding in the Dominion Parliament. The organization of the party is in perfect condition, and the party will go into the fight with all the old-time enthusiasm and the certainty of recording another sweeping victory

for the Liberal party. The Liberals of South Simcoe will meet at Orillia on Aug. 30 to nominate

a candidate for the commons. A general convention of the East York Reform Association to nominate a candidate to contest the riding for the commons will be held in Boston's Hall, East Toronto, on Friday, Sept.

7, at 1:30 p.m. Mr. J. E. Campbell, of Hepworth, the Liberal candidate for North Bruce, is carying on active organization work, and with a thorough organization and an enthusiastic band of supporters behind them, is confident he will be able to redeem the riding.

Mr. W. H. Plummer, of Sault Ste. Marie, has not yet decided whether he will accept the Conservative nomination for Algoma for the Dominion. Mr. William Smith, ex-M.P., is confident that he will be able to get the Syracuse Conservative nomination for South Ontario.

W. H. Hastings, Conservative organizer, is preparing for the Dominion campaign in Manitoba. He hopes to have all the conventions on before the middle of September. Sir Charles Tupper left Montreal last night for the Maritime Provinces.

GLAD NEWS!

The Pskin and Tung Chow Mission aries Safe.

PSALM CXXIV., 7. Boston, Mass., Aug. 22.-The Ameri-

can board of commissioners for foreign missions, has received today a cablegram from Che Foo, as follows:

"Psalms, one-twenty-four, seven; Pekin and Tung Chow missionaries; also Chapins, Smiths, Wykoffs, saved."

The Pekin missionaries are: Rev. W. S. Ament, Rev. C. E. Ewing, wife and two children; Miss Ada Haven, Miss Nellie Russell, Mrs. J. L. Mateer. The Tung Chow missionaries who had taken refuge at Pekin are: Miss Mary E. Andrews, Miss Jane G. Evans, Miss Abbie G. Chapin, Rev. Chauncey Goodrich, D.D., wife and three children, Jas. H. Ingram, M.D., wife and two children; Miss Luella Miner, Rev. E. W. Tewksbury, wife and two children, Rev. Howard S. Galt and wife. The Pang Chuang missionaries, who were at the annual meeting, and took refuge at Pekin, are: Rev. Arthur H. Smith, D.D., and wife, the Misses E. Gertrude and H. Grace Wykoff. Lin Ching missionaries under the same conditions are: dren.

The passage of Scripture alluded to above is: "Our soul is escaped as a bird out of the snare of the fowlers; the snare is broken, and we are escaped."

CAPTURE OF PEKIN. Half the Tartar City was placed under the control of the Japanese, and committees of Japanese, American, British, Russian and French officers were appointed to maintain order. A detachment of Japanese troops rescued the foreign missionaries, and Chinese Christian converts, who had imprisoned in the palace. Two hun-

DON'T WANT IT

Women of Victoria, 15,000 in Number, Petition Against the Suffrage Bill.

London, Aug. 22.-The women of Victoria have started a movement against woman suffrage similar, according to the Melbourne correspondent of the and the acquittal of four. Times, to the American anti-suffrage movement. Fifteen thousand women have signed a petition against the woman suffrage bill.

I. O. O. F. GRAND LODGE. Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 22.-The report on the election of officers was one of the chief items at today's session of the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., this morning. Dr. August rFench, of Brooklyn, has been elected grand master of the grand lodge; Franklin P. Trautmann, of Brooklyn, is elected grand representative to the Sovereign Grand Lodge, which mets at Richpatch from Corea says that 1,000 rebels mond, Va., next month. Grand Secre-have attacked Song Ching and burned tary John G. Deubert of New York

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Five British Officers and 25 Men Missing.

After a Scrap With the Enemy Near

Ventuersburg-Other Casualties.

Lord Roberts, dated Aug. 21: "Lieut.-Col. Sitwell, reconnoitering

ment are missing.

"Paget and Baden-Powell engaged the commandos protecting Dewet, Aug. 1 fying condition of the order. 20. Lieut. Flowers and one man were The high chief ranger substitution of the order.

LATE SPORTING

Forest City Quoiting Club a Live Institution-The Coming Tournament.

BASEBALL. EASTERN LEAGUE STANDING.

Providence. Rochester Springfield Worcester FLYS.

ompany pall team defeated the retail shoe clerks at Springbank Tuesday evening by a score of 12 to 4. The feature of the game was the heavy hitting of the wholesale nine. Batteries-Wilson and

Copner; Connor and Ashplant. FISTIC. RUHLIN WILL CHALLENGE THE

WINNER. Gus Ruhlin, who is rapidly getting into good shape again, despite the severe punishment he received in his recent battle with Bob Fitzsimmons, will be at the ringside when the latter meets Sharkey on Saturday night to

challenge the winner. Ruhlin believes that his defeat at the hands of Fitzsimmons was due to his poor condition, and is confident that he could turn the tables in another bout

with the Cornishman.
In speaking of Ruhlin's plans yesterday, Billy Madden, his manager, said: "Ruhlin is all right now, and we intend to issue a challenge to meet the winner of the Fitzsimmons-Sharkey fight A few weeks' rest and Gus will be prepared to resume training.

"Of course, we would prefer to meet the winner of Saturday night's fight, but if this is impossible we will arrange a match with the winner of the Corbett-McCoy bout."

> QUOITING. THE FOREST CITY CLUB.

An interesting meeting of the Forest City Quoiting Club was held last evening, which was attended by a large number of lovers of the port. This club, which is steadily growing in strength, has now a membership of 50, including London's three great quoiters -James Bell, Matt Brown and R. Errington. A tournament is being arranged to take place next month, when the value of the prizes offered will be greater than at any previous quoiting tournament ever held in Canada. The Forest City club claims to have the finest quoiting grounds in the country. They are opposite the G. T. R. station on York street, and citizens who are interested in this line of sports are cordially welcome.

MONDAY'S STORM IN MICHIGAN. Detroit, Aug. 21.—The entire lower peninsula of Michigan was swept by a severe electrical storm yesterday afternoon. The damage to crops is immense. Scores of barns were struck by lightning and burned with their contents. But one fatality has been re-In Detroit the damage will reach \$50,000. TWENTY RIOTERS SENTENCED

TO DIE. London, Aug. 22.-A special dispatch from Allahabad, capital of the division of the northwest provinces of British India of the same name, says the trial of 25 prisoners concerned in the Cawnpore plague riots has resulted in the condemnation to death of 20 of the accused, the transportation of one at \$112,000.

TROLLEY CAR DISASTER. Cleveland, Aug. 22.-An electric car on the Cleveland and Chagrin Falls suburban line was wrecked early today | 26.57 per cent. near Chagrin Falls, the crew and twelve passengers being cut and badly Bank, London, who was accused of bruised. The accident was caused by a broken brake-rod. The car struck a January, 1899, has been committed for trolley-pole when it left the track, otherwise it would have gone down a £5 note.

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steep embankment.

FORESTERS AT OWEN SOUND

The High Court for Central Ontario Opens Its Annual Meeting-The Eastern Branch.

Owen Sound, Aug. 22 .- Owen Sound is en fete in honor of the High Court London, Aug. 22.—The war office has of the Independent Order of Foresters received the following dispatch from for Central Ontario, which is meeting

Yesterday afternoon a session was near Ventnersburg, engaged the Boers. held, with High Chief Ranger Geo. L. Two British were wounded. Lieuts. Wilson in the chair, when arrange-Spedding, Davenport, Surtees and ments were perfected for the different Watson, and a medical officer and 24 sessions of the week. Dr. Oronhyatekha, supreme chief ranger was giv-"Hamilton has crossed the Crocodile en an ovation on rising to address the convention, and in a fluent speech re-

viewed the progress and present grati-The high chief ranger submitted the killed. Lieut, Kirby and six men were following table showing the standing wounded." Membership June 30, 1900 11,327 Applications received during the year Applications accepted during the 1,646

year Applications rejected during the year Applicants initiated Number died during the year. Net increase during the year .. Lapses Number of courts in exist-New courts during the year..

Courts ceased to exist Courts amalgamated during the year Estimated expenditure\$6,250 00 Expended 5,594 70 Estimated revenue 5,910 00 Amount received 6,410 75 Surplus, 1899 1,733 31 Surplus, 1900 2,549 36

The high treasurer, Mr. Atwell

Fleming, in his report, placed the re-

ceipts at \$8,144 06 and expenditure

\$5,604 70, leaving a balance of \$2,549 36. EASTERN ONTARIO HIGH COURT. Brockville, Aug. 21.-This morning at 10 o'clock, the High Court, Independent Order of Foresters, for Eastern Ontario, met at Victoria Hall. The following reports of the H. C. R., high secretary and high treasurer were pre-sented. The total income for the high court during the year was \$5,-887 82, and the bank balance, \$1,223 73. Five new courts have been established, and 948 new members initiated. There were 78 deaths during last year, as against 67 in the previous year, and the large sum of \$103,500 has been

granted to widows and orphans. The finance committee presented its first report, estimating next year's in-

12,000 MEDALS

Applications for Them Still Being Received by the Board.

Ottawa, Aug. 22.-Applications for medals keep coming in to the medal claims board. Already 10,035 of the much-prized decorations have passed out to Canadians, and about 2,000 have been issued in England to members of the imperial service who did duty at thef ront, so that over 12,000 have already been issued, and there are more

on the way. The long service medal will next engage the attention of the authorities.

Telegraphic Briefs.

The population of Minneapolis is 202,-718, an increase over 1890 of 37,980, or 23.05 per cent. The population of St. Paul, Minn., is 163,632, an increase over 1890 of 30,476,

or 22.89 per cent. Carl Smith, the sculptor, of Washington, died at Copenhagen today of Bright's disease.

Col. Marchand, of Fashoda fame, has been appointed to the general staff of the China expeditionary corps. United States Consul Fee, at Bombay, reports to the state department

that cholera is raging there. Ethel, a daughter of Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, was married today to Mr. Whitmore Richards, of London, a lawyer.

The extensive plant of the Maryland Telephone Construction Company, in Baltimore, was destroyed by fire this (Wednesday) morning. Loss estimated

The population of Philadelphia, according to the count just completed at the census office, is 1,293,697; increase during the past ten years, 246,733, or

trial. He was caught while passing a VESTMAKERS WIN.

New York, Aug. 22.-The vestmakers in Manhattan have won their strike for the union scale of wages and the tenhour workday. A stampede of contractors took place last night. The strike affected 2,000 men, women and girls.